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1. [] Dorothy Fosdick telephoned indicating that the new Jackson Subcommittee was considering the possibility of the Agency assisting them as we had done on the previous Subcommittee having specific reference to two papers we produced for them relating to the policy-making machinery of the Soviet Union and Communist China. These were published without attribution and apparently both of these have been best sellers in the academic world. She indicated the new group will put more emphasis on staffing and operations and possibly such matters as training. She was wondering if there were any developments which would really warrant a revised edition. We will look into this generally and be in touch with her.

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3. [] Talked with Senator Strom Thurmond, with Harry Dent of his staff present, on [] I talked basically from the paper furnished by Colonel Grogan. Senator Thurmond listened politely but stated that he has received very good reports about [] from people whom he respects. Consequently, he would like the evidence on which we have reached our conclusions. We are looking into this further and it could prove to be a difficult case. I have mentioned this to the Director indicating we have not fully satisfied Thurmond but were going to give it another try.
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25X1 4. [] The Director appeared before the Joint
Committee on Atomic Energy. See Memorandum for the Record.

25X1 5. [] Delivered to William Darden for
Senator Russell as Chairman of the Senate Armed Services Committee,
a letter with enclosures pertaining to introduction of legislation for
our early retirement program.

25X1 6. [] Miss Spiller, in the office of Senator
Ralph Yarborough (D., Tex.), called to say that a scientist who is well
known to the Senator wanted the name of the head of our scientific unit
so that he might write him a letter. I advised Miss Spiller that we did
not generally give out the names and titles of Agency officials for outside
use although we would be happy to provide the name for the Senator. I
suggested that she merely advise this scientist to address his letter to
the Agency and it would be forwarded to the appropriate individual. She
said she understood and would handle it this way.

25X1 8. [] Bertha Bond called to say that Ross Pollock
in the office of Career Management, Civil Service Commission, had called
requesting information as to whether or not the Agency had in the past Fiscal
Year conducted shorthand and typing refresher courses and whether any
outside training facilities had been used. Civil Service has been asked to
collection this information from all departments and agencies for Representa-
tive Jack Brooks, Chairman, Subcommittee on Government Activities of
the House Government Operations Committee. Miss Bond was advised that
since the answers to these questions were straight yes and no and did not
involve the names or numbers of Agency personnel, there was no objection
to this information being provided.

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9. [] Delivered to the Speaker of the House of Representatives a letter from the Director transmitting the CIA Act amendments of 1962. The bill will be transmitted from the Speaker's office to the Parliamentarian and to the House Armed Services Committee.

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10. [] Delivered to the Office of the Vice President a letter from the Director transmitting the CIA Act amendments of 1962. We were assured that the Vice President's office would expedite transmission of the bill to the Parliamentarian who in turn will be transmitting it to the Chairman, Senate Armed Services Committee.

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11. [] Delivered to Bob Smart for Representative Vinson as Chairman of the House Armed Services Committee, a letter with enclosures pertaining to introduction of legislation regarding our retirement program.

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